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TRANSMITTAL FOR AMENDMENT "B" AND RESPONSE

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment "B" and Response for entry in the above-identified application.

— Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. § 1.9 and § 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.

— To secure the approval of the Examiner for proposed amendments to the drawings, enclosed are the following:

- Letter to the Official Draftsperson;
- Set of _____ () sheets of drawings containing Figures _____ including the proposed amendments therein; and
- A duplicate set of the _____ () sheets of drawings with the changes therein highlighted in red.

X To render the transmitted Amendment "B" and Response timely filed enclosed are the following:

- X Petition for a one-Month Extension of Time; and
- X Form PTO-2038 submitting Credit Card Payment in the amount of \$110.00 to cover the fee for the extension of time.
- X A Certificate of Express Mail Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.10.
- X No other fee is required.

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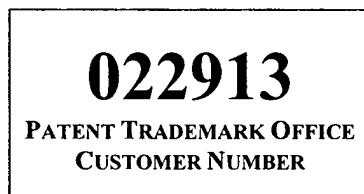
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X A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.

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Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed from the United States Patent and Trademark Office on May 29, 2003, and pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.111, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows: